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Sir:

In response to the Office Action of June 10, 2005, a response being due with a one-month extension of time by October 10, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendment A: CLAIM AMENDMENTS

Please cancel Claims 1 - 10 and substitute Claims 11- 16 therefor as follows:

Claims 1 - 10 (canceled).

11. (new) An article comprising:

a headdress having a visor extending therefrom, said headdress having at least one cut-out extending over at least a portion of a periphery thereof, said headdress having a lower rim; and

an elastic band extending along an entire periphery of said headdress, said elastic band being cooperative with said headdress at least at said cut-out so as to be visible at the cut-out, said cut-out defined by a selvedge line extending substantially parallel to said lower rim, said